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**Response Under 37 CFR 1.111**

Honorable Commissioner of  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 15, 2005 the applicant hereby responds as follows: